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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE  
**UTILITY APPLICATION AND APPLICATION FEE TRANSMITTAL**  
**(1.53(b))**

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Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing is the patent application of

Named Inventor(s) and  
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For: MEDIA ROUTING

Enclosed are:

☒ 31 page(s) of specification (excluding claims), 1 page(s) of Abstract, 11 page(s) of claims(claims 1-49)

☒ 14 sheets of drawing ☒ formal ☐ informal

☒ 6 page(s) of Declaration and Power of Attorney

- ☐ Unsigned
- ☒ Newly Executed
- ☐ Copy from prior application

☐ Deletion of inventors including Signed Statement under 37 C.F.R. § 1.63(d)(2)

☐ Incorporation by Reference: The entire disclosure of the prior application, from which a copy of the combined declaration and power of attorney is supplied herein, is considered as being part of the disclosure of the accompanying application and is incorporated herein by reference.

☐ Microfiche Computer Program (Appendix)

☐ \_\_\_\_\_ page(s) of Sequence Listing

- ☐ computer readable disk containing Sequence Listing
- ☐ Statement under 37 C.F.R. § 1.821(f) that computer and paper copies of the Sequence Listing are the same

☐ Claim for Priority

☐ Certified copy of Priority Document(s)

☐ English translation documents

- ☐ Information Disclosure Statement
- ☐ Copy of \_\_\_\_ cited references
- ☐ Copy of PTO-1449 filed in parent application serial No. \_\_\_\_\_.
- ☐ Preliminary Amendment
- ☐ Return receipt postcard (MPEP 503)
- ☐ Assignment Papers (assignment cover sheet and assignment documents)
- ☐ A check in the amount of \$40.00 for recording the Assignment.
- ☐ Assignment papers filed in parent application Serial No. \_\_\_\_\_.
- ☐ Certification of chain of title pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 3.73(b).
- ☐ This is a ☐ continuation ☐ divisional ☐ continuation-in-part (C-I-P) of prior application serial no. \_\_\_\_\_.
- ☐ Cancel in this application original claims \_\_\_\_\_ of the parent application before calculating the filing fee. (At least one original independent claim must be retained for filing purposes.)
- ☐ A preliminary Amendment is enclosed. (Claims added by this Amendment have been properly numbered consecutively beginning with the number following the highest numbered original claim in the prior application.
- ☐ The status of the parent application is as follows:
- ☐ A Petition For Extension of Time and a Fee therefor has been or is being filed in the parent application to extend the term for action in the parent application until \_\_\_\_\_.
- ☐ A copy of the Petition for Extension of Time in the co-pending parent application is attached.
- ☐ No Petition For Extension of Time and Fee therefor are necessary in the co-pending parent application.
- ☐ Please abandon the parent application at a time while the parent application is pending or at a time when the petition for extension of time in that application is granted and while this application is pending has been granted a filing date, so as to make this application co-pending.
- ☐ Transfer the drawing(s) from the patent application to this application.
- ☐ Amend the specification by inserting before the first line the sentence:  
This is a ☐ continuation ☐ divisional ☐ continuation-in-part of co-pending application Serial No. \_\_\_\_\_ filed \_\_\_\_\_.

I. CALCULATION OF APPLICATION FEE (For Other Than A Small Entity)

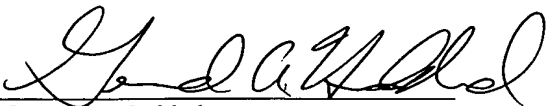
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Total					\$760.00
Claims	49	-20=	29	x\$18.00	\$522.00
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Multiple Dependent Claims					
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- [X] A statement claiming small entity status is attached or has been filed in the above-identified parent application and its benefit under 37 C.F.R. § 1.28(a) is hereby claimed. Reduced fees under 37 C.F.R. § 1.9(F) (50% of total) paid herewith \$ 1031.00.
- [ ] A check in the amount of \$ \_\_\_\_\_ in payment of the application filing fees is attached.
- [X] Charge Fee(s) to Deposit Account No. 13-4500. Order No. 3802-4001. A DUPLICATE COPY OF THIS SHEET IS ATTACHED.
- [X] The Assistant Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required for filing this application, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 13-4500, Order No. 3802-4001. A DUPLICATE COPY OF THIS SHEET IS ATTACHED.

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1. Express Mail Certificate No. EJ 604 726 355 US;
2. Utility Application and Application Fee Transmittal (1.53(b)), (Filing Fee/Small Entity) (2 copies);
3. Patent Application pages of WRITTEN DESCRIPTION 31, PAGES OF ABSTRACT 1; PAGES OF CLAIMS 11, NO. Of CLAIMS 49, 14 PAGES OF DRAWINGS (Figures 1a, 1b, 2, 3a, 3b, 4-8, 9a, 9b, 10a, 10b, 10c, 10d, 11, 12a, 12b);
4. Statement (Declaration) Claiming Small Entity Status 37 CFR § 1.97(f) and § 1.27(c) – Small Business Concern;
5. Combined Declaration and Power of Attorney; and
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